



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Inventor: Tatau NISHINAGA Group Art Unit: 1765
Appln. No.: 09/511,912 Examiner: M. Anderson
Filed: February 23, 2000
For: A METHOD FOR FORMING A SINGLE CRYSTALLINE FILM

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 29, 2004,
Applicant petitions for a One-Month Extension of Time and
requests reconsideration and allowance in light of the following
remarks.

Applicant wishes to thank the Examiner for the courtesy
extended to Applicant's representative during the interview on
October 6, 2004. A summary of the issues discussed during the
interview is provided below.

Claims 1-6, 11-18, and 20-23 stand rejected, under 35 USC
§103(a), as being unpatentable over Tanaka et al. (US 6,377,596)
in view of Tokunaga et al. (US 5,425,808) and Nakamura et al. (JP
01-234389A). Applicant respectfully traverses.